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Dear Commissioner:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed April 30, 2007, said period of response being extended from July 30, 2007 to August 30, 2007.

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